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- [ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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+ \$145	\$

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 28, 2004 in the above-identified application.

This Amendment is believed to place the application in condition for allowance. Entry of this Amendment, reconsideration and further examination is requested.

Please amend the application as follows: